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Richmond.

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Edwin A. Alderman accepts the new of the University of Virginia graph; not known when he will pt the work—Pantops Academy to ppen lis doors next session—nesterfield Circuit Court adjourns term—Pennsylvania capitalists id Bpotsylvania mica mines and lerate on large scale—Reinecke ver Callahan in wrestling match porta—Negro sentenced to hang

North Carolina.

Parker to be nominated to-day—Milkary strength of Japanese by no means exhausted; can checkmate Kuropatkin at every turn; plans to destroy Vadivostok ficet; Japanese gunboat Kalmon suak by Russian mine in Tallen Wan Bay; cholera has crossed Manchuria and appeared at Autung; both belligerent armles in great danger; reports of the operations in Manchuria and of hand-to-hand fighting; Russian resistance feeble; horses dying at rate of 200 a day—Uprising in Poliand against Russia seems imminent—Majority of Sully creditors favor the new plan of settlement.

GENERAL T. B. HOWARD DEAD IN WASHINGTON

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—General Thomas B. Howard, of the Confederate army, died here to-day after a brief illness, aged eighty-four years. His remains will be taken to Houston, Texas, his former home, where the interment will take place Sunday. Three children—Mrs. Rankin Mason, of this city; Mrs. Cora Cross, of Huntsville, Ala., and Oscar Howard, of Houston—survive him.

NEGRO CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY

(By Associated Press.)
ST. LOUIS, July 7.—The National Negre Liberty party to-day nominated William T. Scott, of East St. Louis, and W. C. Payne, of Warrenton, Va., for President and Vice-President, respectively, of the United States.

WANT HELP TO-DAY.

The 16 advertisements for help published in to-day's Times-Dispatch on page 8 are as follows:

2 Agents, 1 Trade.

2 Salesman. 4 Domestics. 7 Miscellaneous.

This not only interests those out of work, but those desiring to improve their positions as well.

NAME MAJOR DANIEL

GOLD PLANK IN THE FOR VICE=PRESIDENT DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

His Nomination Seems Highly Probable

REFUSES TO SAY HE WOULD LIKE IT

Friends of the Distinguished Virginian Certain He Can Win the Honor.

HON. A. C. BRAXTON WILL PRESENT DANIEL'S NAME

Senators Bailey and Williams the Leaders in Booming the Gallant Son of the Old Dominion for the Second Place.

(Special From Staff Correspondent.) ST. LOUIS, MO., July 7.-It looks to light as if Senator Daniel will be nomi-But Major Daniel will continue to op-

State, was the candidate for the vice-John Sharp Williams are the chief Daniel Daniel the presidential nominee than anybody else, but Judge Parker will head the national ticket, and, therefore, Sen cond place. It is not certain be

PARKER TO-DAY.

Will be Nominated on First or Second Ballot-Vice-Presidency. (By Associated Press.)

LOUIS, July 7.-Before to-morrov the Democratic Convention wil st. LOUIS, July 7.—Before to-morrow might the Democratic Convention will have adopted a platform, nominated candidates for President and Vice-President, and adjourned sine die, if the programme of the leaders can be carried out. Parker adherents are now talking of securing his nomination on the first ballot, but they do not anticipate that more than two hallots at the outside will be necessary. The vote to-day on the Illinois case was a fair test, and it was favorable to Parker. There were 36 votes cast of the 1,000 votes in the convention, the 54 of Illinois being withheld. The negative vote on Bryan's minority report was 64, which is 20 votes short of the necessary two-thirds to nominate. It represented, with some exceptions, Parker's strength, although it has in it also some of the

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TWO MEN SAVED

Mr. Cosby, of This City, Rescues Them When Sinking at

Mr. Frank E. Cosby, of No. 825 E. Broad Street, while cruising and fishing with Mr. W. C. Palm and Mr. Alien Valentine n the James River, chanced to save two

men from drowning.

Mr. Cosby and his friends were in a fautch, off the ship-yard, at Newport News. While there they saw two men and women shouting the name of Bryan switched to Parkton a swim. The wind was strong, and a heavy tide was running, and the two men started back to their boat, which, however, had gone adrift. They soon leasune exhausted, and called for help. Mr. Cosby, who was in his bathing suit, seeing their danger, jumicel into the river and swam to the men's boat, about wonty. How say on the drowning men. With his right hand he caught one, who was going down in the foot, and revived them after working on time for a little while.

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TRIALS OF A CANDIDATE

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UPROAR CONVENTION

Bryan Made Snappy Fight, But Lost His Cause-The First Test Vote.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 7 .-- The Demo ratic National Convention to-day adopted Credentials and Permanent Organization. The session opened at 10 hour later took a recess until 2 P. M., and adjourned at 6:20 until 10 o'clock to-mo During the day several speeches

chosen permanent chairman, addressed the convention. He had prepared and furnished to the press a speech of some length. The hour was so late when he gained the platform, however, that he spoke about three hundred words and left his audience to read the remainder. The Ovation to Bryan.

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FISHER AS A FINANCIER

Affidavits of Street Railway Men Make Some Startling Disclosures.

HE PADDED THE PROFITS THE CARS CRASH TOGETHER

Argument in Receivership Application Case Still on in Petersburg.

for a receiver. Hon. B. B. Munford, of counsel for Frank J. Gould, replied to the argument of Mr. Hamilton, speaking at

counsel for Frank J. Gould, replied to the argument of Mr. Hamilton, speaking at some length and reviewing Mr. Fisher's financiering and illustrating it with liberal readings from the affidavits of officers of the Passenger and Power Company. He also denied the charges of extravagance on the part of the present ownership of the company. It was 5:30 o'clock when he concluded and court adjourned until to-day.

MR. HAMILTON'S ADMISSION.

Mr. Hamilton in apening the argument for the petitioners, Fisher, Davis and Rosers, admitted in supbstance the methods of financiering charged against Mr. Fisher in the answer of defendants, but charged that Mr. Gould had adopted similar methods. He devoted much of his argument to an effort to show that the floating debt of the company had largely increased under Mr. Gould's ownership and contended that this increase of floating debt without a corresponding increase of revenue, justified the appointment of a receiver to take charge of and direct the affairs of the company. He quoted from the financial statements of the company and made comparisons of expenditures under the Fisher and Gould

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MANY STRIKE FOR LIBERTY

SIGN OF WEAKENING

MAN KILLED BY A FENDER THE CHOLERA AT ANTUNG

Construction Foreman John Muse Loses His Life in Accident on Seven Pines Road.

That of the Construction Force Fails to Make the Masonic Home Switch in Time.

ing the current, but without avail, The two cars came together with sufficient force to cause the fender on the construction car to fly up and strike Mr. Muse a blow on the neck and chest that extinguished his life. A trib of colored linemen on the car with Muse leaped linemen on the car with Muse leaped and escaped injury. Motorman Hunter Herring and F. G. Franck, of the colliding cars, also jumped and saved themselves. Only the front trucks of the construction car were detailed and the damage to the rolling stock is insignificant.

Mr. Muse was unmarried. He lived at 2011 West Cary. The body was brought to the car sheef at Twenty-ninth Street, but was subsequently taken to the undertaking rooms of Berhett.

Coroner Deas expected to hold an inquisition yesterday afternoon and was on hand with the jury, but only the witnesses on behalf of the company being present, the inquest was deferred until today and will be had at the undertaking rooms.

HAPPY JIM BLEW OUT THE GAS AND LIVES

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
ST. LOUIS, MO., July 7.—"I blew out
the gas, I guess I didn't know any better, said James Checks, aged twentyseven, of Dump Creek, Va., at the City
Hospital to-day, after physicians had restored him to consciousness, saving his
life. life.

Cheeks was found in his room at 8 o'clock this morning by Lizzie Obert, a servant who had detected the odor of gas and traced it to Cheeks's room.

The Sinews of the Japs Are Still Able to Bear the Strain.

Both Belligerent Armies in Great Danger-Reports of Desperate Fighting.

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TOKIO, July 7.—The military strength

which may reach Kuropatkin, he still will

those high in authority are confident hey will be successful.

HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING.

The Russians, However, Make Strangely Feeble Resistance. Horses Dying.

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GEO. S. GRENSHAW NEW ACCOUNTANT

Sub-Committee Agrees Upon the Report.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PAPER

Fight Made Over Money Issue and Along Other Lines.

BRYAN'S PLANK ON TARIFF WAS ADOPTED

Instrument Demands Annual Increase of Navy, Laws Giving Capital and Labor Just Rights and Honesty in the Public Service. Other Features.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 8 .-At 3 o'clock this morning the Committee on Resolutions was still in session discussing the platform. Up to that time no action had been taken on the gold plank.

"We, the delegates of the Democratic party of the United States, in national tion to the essential

Principles of Democracy.

Jury; freedom of the person defended by the writ of habeas corpus; liberty of personal contract untrammelled by sumptuary laws, the supremacy of civil over military authority, a well disciplined militia, the separation of church and State; economy in expenditures; low taxes, that libbor may be lightly burdened, the prompt and sacred fulfillment of public and private obligations; fidelity to treatles; peace and friendship with all national entangling alliances with none; absolute acquiescence in the will of the majority, the vital principle of Republics—these are doctrines which Democracy has established as proverbs of the nation and they should be constantly resorted to and enforced.

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"1. Large reductions can readily be made in the annual expenditures of the government without impairing the efficiency of any branch of the public Service, and we shall insist upon the strict est economy and frugality compatible with vigorous and efficient civil, military and naval administration as a right of the people, too clear to be denied or withheld.

"2. The enforcement of honesty in the

Experienced Railroad Clerk Succeeds Mayor-Elect Carlton McCarthy.

Mr. George S. Crenshaw was chosen by the Finance Committee of the City Council last night as city accountant, to succeed Capitain Carlton McCarthy, elected Mayor.

The committee met in Commissioner Hankins's office. A member of the conmittee said before the meeting that the strength of Messrs. Thomas Bouldar and George S. Crenshaw was about evenly divided, and that one vote only was necessary to decide.

The vote was 5 to 4 on the first ballot, which was made unanimous on mention of Mr. Spence.

Mr. Wood was not present. He would have voted for Mr. Boudar had been present, and Mr. Pollard was paired with Mr. Wood.

Mr. Crenshaw is a well known official in the Chesapeake and Oho for a hould conficials, from the occupant of the White House and Oho for a hould be carried with it a salary of \$2,00.

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The new accountant is considered fully capable of filling the requirements of the filling the requirements